

General Assembly

## Committee Bill No. 5365

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Referred to Committee on Higher Education and Employment Advancement

Introduced by: (HED)

## AN ACT REINSTATING THE SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT APPROPRIATION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (Effective July 1, 2006) (a) For the fiscal year ending June
- 2 30, 2007, the Office of Workforce Development shall distribute the
- 3 following amounts to the five regional workforce investment boards:
- 4 Six hundred fifty thousand dollars to Capitol Workforce Partners; four
- 5 hundred fifty thousand dollars to the Regional Workforce
- 6 Development Board of Greater New Haven; two hundred fifty
- 7 thousand dollars to The Workplace, Inc.; four hundred fifty thousand
- 8 dollars to the Northwest Regional Workforce Investment Board, Inc.;
- 9 and two hundred thousand dollars to the Eastern CT Workforce
- 10 Investment Board.
- 11 (b) At least seventy-five per cent of the amount appropriated to each
- 12 board pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall be allocated to
- one or more distressed municipalities in such board's region, and the
- 14 remaining amount shall be allocated to other municipalities in the
- region. Each board shall have the option to allocate up to twenty-five

- per cent of the amount appropriated, or any unspent amounts
- 17 allocated to the Summer Youth Employment program in such board's
- 18 region, for other year-round workforce development programs for
- 19 youths fourteen to nineteen years of age who meet family income
- 20 requirements, as documented by participation in subsidized school
- 21 meal programs.
- Sec. 2. (Effective July 1, 2006) The sum of two million dollars is
- 23 appropriated to the Office of Workforce Competitiveness, from the
- 24 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, for the five
- 25 regional workforce investment boards.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

| Section 1 | July 1, 2006 | New section |
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| Sec. 2    | July 1, 2006 | New section |

**HED** Joint Favorable C/R

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